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TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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C) MANILA 10439; D) JAKARTA 9341; E) SINGAPORE 3418

1. WE WERE ON BRINK OF SENDING MESSAGE ON BASIS
REFS. A-D -- WHICH RAISED QUESTIONS IN OUR MIND OF HOW
FIRMLY AND UNANIMOUSLY ASEAN DESIRES ECONOMIC CONSULTA-
TIONS WITH US -- THAT WE FAILED TO SEE WHY IT IS NECESSARY
FOR US TO REITERATE PERIODICALLY OUR INTEREST IN CONSULTA-
TIONS AND WHY ONE OR THE OTHER MEMBER OF ASEAN SUGGESTS
THAT WE SHOULD GO AND KNOCK ON THE DOOR OF ANOTHER.
HOWEVER, IN LIGHT OF REF. E, UNLESS AMBASSADOR NEWSOM STILL
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THINKS THAT GOS MISREADS INDONESIAN VIEWS, WE REQUEST

AMBASSADOR SULLIVAN TO APPROACH SECRETARY ROMULO INFORM HIM OF GOS AND RTG APPROACHES MADE TO OUR EMBASSIES AND STATE THAT WE ARE AGAIN READY TO REITERATE OUR RECEPTIVITY TO ECONOMIC CONSULTATIONS WITH ASEAN IF ASEAN MEMBERS CONSIDER THIS USEFUL AND DESIRABLE.

2. OTHER ASEAN ADDRESSEE POSTS MAY FOLLOW UP AMBASSADOR SULLIVAN'S APPROACH AND INFORM APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF

STEPS WE HAVE TAKEN IN MANILA. AMBASSADOR NEWSOM MAY WISH TO INFORM INDONESIANS THAT IN OUR VIEW ASEAN CONSULTATIONS DO NOT REPLACE OR SUBSTITUTE FOR US-INDONESIAN BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS AGREED TO AT CAMP DAVID AND FOR WHICH WE ARE STILL DEVELOPING CONCRETE PROPOSALS. KISSINGER

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